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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Dennis G. Pardikes

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COMMUNICATION

Responsive to a Formalities Letter, mailed June 18, 2001, applicant submits the enclosed drawings for the above-identified application.

Applicant's Preliminary Communication (copy return post card with mail room stamp enclosed) mailed March 7, 2001 requested an extension of time to file the necessary drawings, if the Preliminary Communication was not granted. Applicant also requested that any necessary fees be taken out of our Deposit Account No. 12-0064.

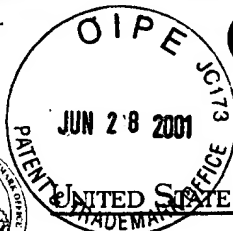
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A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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